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FOR: TRANSPARENT SUBSTRATE COATED WITH A SILVER DEPOSIT

AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Responsive to the outstanding Office Action mailed May 16, 2002, the period for response thereto being extended by virtue of the petition and extension fee submitted herewith, reconsideration and allowance of all claims now pending is respectfully requested.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following new claims 70 and 71 as follows:

-- 70. Glass substrate carrying a coating stack comprising, in order from the glass substrate:
a non-absorbent transparent coating layer comprising a layer of an oxide of titanium
and an overlying layer of a partially but not totally oxidized combination of at least two
metals;
a metallic coating layer selected from the group consisting of silver and silver alloys;
and
a non-absorbent transparent coating layer comprising a layer of a partially but not
totally oxidized combination of at least two metals.

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